

AGENDA

GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS JOINT SUBCOMMITTEE ON COMMERCE, LABOR, TRANSPORTATION AND AGRICULTURE WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 2014 –9:00 A.M. ROOM 16, LEGISLATIVE PLAZA

SENATOR BECKY MASSEY, CHAIR

I. Call to Order and Introductions

Members of the Commerce, Labor, Transportation and Agriculture Joint Subcommittee are:

**Senator Becky Massey, Chair
Senator Mike Bell
Senator Ferrell Haile
Senator Thelma Harper
Senator Jack Johnson**

**Representative Curtis Halford, Vice-Chair
Representative Glen Casada
Representative G.A. Hardaway
Representative Gerald McCormick**

II. Department of Labor and Workforce Development and Related Entities

- A. Presentation of the performance audit of the Department of Labor and Workforce Development and Related Entities, by Ms. Lisa Williams, Performance Auditor, Division of State Audit, Office of the Comptroller of the Treasury.**
- B. Presentation of the response to the audit and to questions by Mr. Burns Phillips, Commissioner, Department of Labor and Workforce Development.**
- C. Comments by members of the public (may want to limit to 3-5 minutes per person).**
- D. Subcommittee action as appropriate. Action is required on each of the following entities:**

**Department of Labor and Workforce Development
Board of Boiler Rules
Elevator and Amusement Device Safety Board
Prevailing Wage Commission**

III. State Unemployment Compensation Advisory Council

- A. Presentation of responses to questions by Mr. Jim Brown, Tennessee State Director, National Federation of Independent Business.**
- B. Comments by members of the public (may want to limit to 3-5 minutes per person).**
- C. Subcommittee action as appropriate.**

IV. Occupational Safety and Health Review Commission

- A. Presentation of responses to questions by Mr. Russ Farrar, Chairperson, Occupational Safety and Health Review Commission.**
- B. Comments by members of the public (may want to limit to 3-5 minutes per person).**
- C. Subcommittee action as appropriate.**

V. Medical Care and Cost Containment Committee / Medical Payment Committee

- A. Presentation of responses to questions by Ms. Abbie Hudgens, Administrator, Mr. Troy Haley, Administrative Attorney and Legislative Liaison, Dr. Robert Snyder, Medical Director, Ms. Suzy Douglas, Nurse Consultant, Division of Workers' Compensation.**
- B. Comments by members of the public (may want to limit to 3-5 minutes per person).**
- C. Subcommittee action as appropriate. Action is required on each of the following entities:**

Medical Care and Cost Containment Committee
Medical Payment Committee

VI. Medical Advisory Committee

- A. Presentation of responses to questions by Ms. Abbie Hudgens, Administrator, Mr. Troy Haley, Administrative Attorney and Legislative Liaison, Dr. Robert Snyder, Medical Director, Ms. Suzy Douglas, Nurse Consultant, Division of Workers' Compensation.**
- B. Comments by members of the public (may want to limit to 3-5 minutes per person).**
- C. Subcommittee action as appropriate.**

VII. Actions by this joint subcommittee are submitted to the Government Operations Committees for deliberation and final decision prior to being placed on calendar during legislative session. Notice of future meetings will be posted in advance of scheduled meeting dates.

VIII. Adjourn.